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Applicant:	Fumiko YANO	Conf.:	8820
Appl. No.:	09/731,850	Group:	2672
Filed:	December 8, 2000	Examiner:	F.FOULADI SEMNANI
For:	CHARACTER DISPLAY DEVICE AND CHARACTER DISPLAY METHOD		

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

April 25, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 27, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Kindly replace claims 1, 6, 11 and 13 with the following:

Claim 1. (Twice Amended)

A character display device to display one or more characters without modification, comprising:

a recording means recording dot patterns and proximal reference points of each character of a character series;

a coordinate calculation means obtaining said proximal reference point of each character of said character series from said recording means and



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Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.
- ☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via facsimile.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	14	-	20	=	0	\$ 18	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	4	-	4	=	0	\$ 84	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$280	\$0.00
						<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>

- ☐ Petition for ( ) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$0.00 for the extension of time.
- ☒ No fee is required.
- ☐ Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 is(are) enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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